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USING THE SAME

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In connection with the Transmittal Letter and Notification of Filing of Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and RCE Transmittal, both concurrently submitted herewith and in response to the Office Action dated November 6, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please substitute the paragraph beginning at page 6, line 14 and ending at page 7, line 2 to read as follows:

-- Detailed configuration of the laser beam scanner 100 used for exposing the photographic paper sheet is shown in FIG. 2.
The laser beam scanner 100 comprises three laser light sources 104R, 104G and 104B respectively corresponding to three principal colors of red, green and blue. The laser light source 104R

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